

## Maricopa County Board of Supervisors

News Release

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## Maricopa County Board of Supervisors Approve of Traffic Control Changes for Roads in Anthem and Desert Hills

The Maricopa County Board of Supervisors has approved several traffic control changes for roads in Anthem and Desert Hills, including new school crossings and speed adjustments respectively.

"The County continues to monitor both growth and safety in these communities," said Andy Kunasek, District 3 Supervisor. "We are committed to responding as conditions change," he said.

A designated school crossing will be installed on 7<sup>th</sup> Street near Stepping Stones Academy. A total of three crossings are planned for Diamond Canyon Elementary, one each on Liberty Bell Way, Hastings Way and Anthem Way. Another change in Anthem includes the intersection of Gavilan Peak Parkway and Navigation Way. The existing two-way stop will become a four-way stop to facilitate better traffic flow in all directions.

In Desert Hills, the speed limit on 7<sup>th</sup> Street will be reduced in two locations. Between Galvin Street and Cloud Road the 45 mph limit will be reduced to 40 mph. Further north on 7<sup>th</sup> Street, between Cloud Road and New River Road, the limit will be reduced to 45 from 50 mph.

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